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Applicant: John David Miller
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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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 Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed October 21, 2002, said period of response being extended from January 21, 2003 to April 21, 2003.

Since a Petition for One-Month Extension of Time and a check in the amount of \$110 was previously submitted with the U.S. Patent Office on February 20, 2003, it is believed that the fee now due is the difference between the three-month extension of time fee (\$930) and the one-month extension of time fee (\$110). Accordingly, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$820.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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